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"I Will Be Disappointed if We Lose a Single Combat," Says Griff-Hughes to Pitch the Opening Game.

By WILLIAM PEET.

Cleveland, Ohio, July 26.—Engineer-in-Chief Clark Griffith, of the Washington steam roller, carefully oiled up all the various parts of his baseball machine to-night when he called the members of his family together for a brief talk and told them how he expected to make another grand clean-up in the West.

"We start right here in Cleveland," said the chief, "and we are going to crush all our opponents like so many flies."

"We have a better ball club than any team in the West We ground 'em all to powder the last trip and I expect you boys to do the same thing again. If we drop a single game out here I shall be disappointed."

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old steam roller is ready for a famous crunching act, and, re-, too, that another triumph second famous crunching act. and, remember, too, that another triumph means the American League pennant, sarrying with it not only fadie but wealth. So, bors, you can see that you save something for which to fight."

The Nationats reached Cleveland in time to est breakfast this morning, and were met in the hotel lobby by Nick Altrock, the well-known comedian obtained from the Kansas City club. Schaefer spotted Nick first and gave him the glad hand.

"We'll show 'em something eh, Nick" we'll we

they propose to spring on the unsuspecting Cleveland public during to-morrow's double-header.

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Furing that last memorable Western trip, Griff opened every series with Lons of the Hughes, and believing that the vetters can can again come through with wing stuff, Hughes will putch the opening settled of to-morrow's double bill.

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sters will be forced to fight all the harder to win.

Howard Shanks stopped over in Youngstown, Chio, this mering to call on old friends. Shanks was the star of the O, and P, circuit last season, and his friends are legion. The good-looking out-fielder will call upon the Mayer and Chief of Police, and tell all the boys how it fees to be a hig leaguer.

Paul Musser, who twirled for Canton last summer, boarded a trolley for that town right after breakfast, taking Jay Carl Cashlon, the Carolina curver, with him. Musser and Cashlon will muss things up in the little hamlet of Canton to-night. Musser is quite a society man, and is going to introduce Cashlon to several members of Canton's elite.

Players Sorry for Street.

t was learned that Gabby Street, the old Washington cutcher, had been sent to be minors. Walter Johnson and Milan idmitted that Gabby had slowed up a rhole lot, but both declared that he was whole lot better than several American eague receivers drawing salaries to-

ger Davis to-day and will play to-mor-row. The big Frenchman has enjoyed a long rest, and Cleveland papers are pre-dicting screat things for him during the coming series.

On Sunday the Nationals and Naps will hook up in a double-header, and Monday is a day of rest. The Washington team will leave Cleveland Monday night for Detroit, where John Henry is slated to Join the club.

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CUBS TAKE FIRST FROM THE GIANTS

Matty Pitches Clever Ball, but Errors Behind Him Gives Chicago the Game.

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PHILLIES WIN.

Defeat the Pirates by Score of 4 to 1. Philadelphia, July 38.—The Phillies beat

Philadelphia, July 3c.—The Phillies beat Pittsburg in the first game of the series to-day, score, 4 to 1. O'Toole was er-ratic, the sennational fielding of Wagner keeping the local score down. Adams pitched the eighth for the Pirates, and Luderus hit for a home run. Moore was very effective, Knake's error averting a shut-out. 8-0re:

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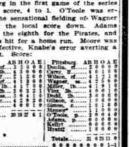
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